

**NATIONAL HISTORIC LIGHTHOUSE PRESERVATION ACT OF 2000
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
JUNE 1, 2011**

**RACE ROCKS LIGHT
OFFSHORE FISHERS ISLAND IN SUFFOLK COUNTY
NEW YORK**

Race Rocks Light Station ("the Property") described on the attached sheet has been determined to be excess to the needs of the Department of Homeland Security United States Coast Guard (USCG). Pursuant to the National Historic Lighthouse Preservation Act of 2000, 16 U.S.C. 470 (NHLPA), this Property is being made available at no cost to eligible entities defined as Federal agencies, state and local agencies, non-profit corporations, educational agencies, or community development organizations for educational, park, recreational, cultural or historic preservation purposes.

Under Section 309 of the NHLPA, the Property will be sold if it is not transferred to a public body or non-profit organization.

Any eligible entity with an interest in acquiring the Property for a use consistent with the purposes stated above should submit a letter of interest to the U. S. General Services Administration (GSA) within 60 days from the date of this Notice.

Letters of interest should include:

- Name of property
- Name of eligible entity
- Point of contact, title, address, phone and email
- Non-profit agencies must provide a copy of their state-certified articles of incorporation

Eligible entities which submit a written letter of interest will be sent an application from the Department of the Interior National Park Service (NPS) and given an opportunity to inspect the Property. Building inspectors and/or contractors may accompany the applicant on the site visit.

The completed application must be submitted to the NPS within 90 days from the date of inspection. The NPS will review applications and may select a steward to receive the Property. In order to complete the conveyance, the selected steward is required to obtain an agreement to occupy the submerged lands from the New York State Office of General Services (POC: thomas.pohl@pgs.state.ny.us). The GSA will deed the Property to the steward upon receipt of the State's agreement. For more information on the NHLPA, please see the National Park Service's website at <http://www.nps.gov/history/maritime/nhlpa>.

Letters of interest should be sent to:

**U.S. General Services Administration
Real Property Utilization and Disposal Office
10 Causeway Street – 10th floor
Boston, MA 02222 Attention: Meta Cushing (meta.cushing@gsa.gov)**

A copy of your letter of interest should be sent to:

**Ms. Elizabeth Martin
New York Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation
P.O. Box 189
Waterford, NY 12188**